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PART--I-- Orders and Notifications by the Government of Tripura, The High Court, Government Treasury etc.

GOVERNMENT OF TRIPURA OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MAGISTRATE & COLLECTOR SOUTH TRIPURA. BELONIA.

F.6(41)/DM/S/JDL/2023

Dated, Belonia, the 7th March, 2025.

ORDER UNDER SECTION 163 BNSS

WHEREAS, reliable report has been received that there are apprehensions of the infiltration of miscreants and anti social elements in the border areas of Belonia and Sabroom Sub-Division under South Tripura with intention to commit crimes and disturbance of internal security and public tranquility.

AND

WHEREAS, cross border smuggling related activities have also been reported during last three months and there is apprehension of such illegal activities in near future, which may lead to disturbance peace and public tranquility

AND

WHEREAS, I am satisfied that there are sufficient grounds to impose restrictions Under Section 163 BNSS 2023 for ensuring peace and tranquillity by preventing anti social elements and activities of associations inimical to safety and security of General Public and for preventing Law & Order problem in border areas.

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NOW THEREFORE, in exercise of powers conferred Under Section 163 BNSS 2023, I Mrs. Smitha Mol M.S., IAS, District Magistrate & Collector, South Tripura hereby prohibit movement of people and vehicles within 500 (five hundred) meters of Indo-Bangladesh International Border of Belonia and Sabroom Sub-Division of South Tripura from 20:00 Hours to 05:00 Hours.

- i. Assembly of more than four persons during the period from 20:00 Hours to 05:00 Hours of following morning is prohibited.
- ii. Movement of general public and vehicles in the area mentioned in the schedule during the period from 20:00 Hours to 05:00 Hours of the following morning without valid permission of the SP South Tripura, SDM Belonia or SDM Sabroom is prohibited.
- iii. Prohibition for Unauthorized procession or unlawful assembly of 5 or more persons and carrying arms/other instruments which can be used as weapons including sticks and stones in an around 5 kms from the IB.
- iv. Prohibition on movement of the cattle whether on foot or vehicle should be up to 500 mtrs from the IB for any purpose between first light to last light including grazing.
- v. Prohibition on carrying of variety of essential goods in quantities beyond normal consumption purposes such sugar, flour, rice, paddy, wheat, wheat products, kerosene oil, mustard oil, coconut oil, fertilizers, textile goods, iron & steel articles, beedies leaves, machine parts, baby food, cycle parts, salt, tea, tyre & tube, all kind of dry batteries, petrol & diesel, raw jute, dal/pulses, cattle, sheep/goat, cement, beetle nuts, cosmetic items, milk powder, cigarette, condiments, liquor/beer, fish, dry/fresh fish, beef, wild life species, razers & blades, coal, medicines/drugs, synthetic

drugs, ganja, wooden logs, mobile phones etc. which are usually carried by the miscreants to smuggle in huge quantity in any particular area within distance up to 01 Kms.

- vi. Prohibition on the functioning of the Haats/ Bazaar/Shops between 20.00 hrs to 06.00 hrs in proximity to IB up to 1 K.M.
- vii. Prohibition on the ferry services shall be imposed between last light to first light in transboundary rivers.

HOWEVER, the prohibitory order shall not be applicable to the-

- 1. Movement of Military/Paramilitary force and State Police Personnel engaged to maintenance of law and order duty.
- 2. Movement of the members of public authorized by the S.P South Tripura District and SDMs of Belonia or Sabroom Sub-Division.
- 3. Movement of Government servants when it is essential for discharge of emergent official duties.
- 4. Movement of patients requiring immediate medical treatment.

Any persons violating this order shall be liable to be prosecuted U/S 223 of BNS, 2023.

In view of the emergent nature of situation and with a view to ensure public peace and tranquillity, this order is passed ex-parte.

The above restriction shall come into force <u>with effect from 08th</u>
<u>March, 2025 to 07th June, 2025</u> in the areas covered under the schedule below:

SCHEDULED

The strip of area falling within 500 (Five Hundred) meters along Indo-Bangladesh international Border of entire Belonia and Sabroom Sub-Division of South Tripura .

Given under my Seal and Signature on this day of $06^{\rm th}$ March, 2025.

Signed by
Smithamol Mohanan Saraswathy
Date: 07-03-2025 17:51:56

District Magistrate & Collector
South Tripura, Belonia